

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Yizhou Song et)
al.)
Serial No.: 10/550,506)
For: **THIN FILM FORMING**)
METHOD AND FORMING DEVICE)
THEREFOR)
Filed: September 23, 2005)
Group Art Unit: 1795)
Examiner: Michael A. Band)
Confirmation No.: 9959)

RESPONSE TO 07/17/08 OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants herewith request a one month extension of time for responding to the Office Action dated July 17, 2008, so that the period for response is extended from October 17, 2008 to November 17, 2008. This request is accompanied by electronic payment for the requisite fee in the amount of \$65.00.

INTRODUCTION

Claims 6-14 are now in the application. Claims 6-8 are rejected. Claim 10 is objected to as being dependent upon a canceled claim and is, therefore, not considered. Claim 9 is withdrawn from consideration. Claims 11-14 are new.